

## UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

## NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

## FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT BRANCH

Washington, D.C. 20570

Via email

July 24, 2023

Re: FOIA Request NLRB-2023-001807

Dear Mike Howell (Heritage Foundation Oversight Project):

This is in response to your request, under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), 5 U.S.C. § 552, received on July 24, 2023, in which you seek "the current organizational hierarchy chart for the National Labor Relations Board." You assumed financial responsibility for the processing of your request in the amount of \$50.00.

We acknowledged your request on July 24, 2023.

The requested information about the Agency's organizational hierarchy is publicly available on at the National Labor Relations Board (NLRB)'s website at <a href="https://www.nlrb.gov/about-nlrb/who-we-are/organization-chart">https://www.nlrb.gov/about-nlrb/who-we-are/organization-chart</a>. For your convenience, even though accessible on the NLRB website, printed copies of the requested information (two pages) are attached. The first page is the organizational chart and the second is the NLRB Designation of Officers, which is hyperlinked at the bottom of that page. Your request is, therefore, granted in full.

For the purpose of assessing fees, we have placed you in Category C, as a representative of the news media, in that you qualify as a person "actively gathering news for an entity that is organized and operated to publish or broadcast news to the public." NLRB Rules and Regulations, 29 C.F.R. § 102.117(d)(1)(vii). Accordingly, there is no charge assessed for this request. Given your placement as a news media requester, your request for a fee waiver is moot.

You may contact William T. Hearne, the FOIA Attorney-Advisor who processed your request, at (202) 273-0139 or by email at william.hearne@nlrb.gov, as well as the Agency's FOIA Public Liaison, for any further assistance and/or to discuss any aspect of your request. The FOIA Public Liaison, in addition to the FOIA Attorney-Advisor, can further explain responsive and releasable agency records, suggest agency offices that may have responsive records, and/or discuss how to narrow the scope of a request in order to minimize fees and processing times. The contact information for the FOIA Public Liaison is:

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After first contacting the Agency, you may additionally contact the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) at the National Archives and Records Administration to inquire about the FOIA dispute resolution services it offers. The contact information for OGIS is:

Office of Government Information Services National Archives and Records Administration 8601 Adelphi Road-OGIS College Park, Maryland 20740-6001 Email: ogis@nara.gov

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Sincerely,

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Attachment: (two pages)